

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A communication device for providing wireless communication for a personal
data assistant in a compact package is provided. The communication device of the
present invention includes a modem, an interface board and logic. The modem transmits
and receives communications for the communication device. The interface board
provides connectivity between the communication device and the personal data assistant,
thereby allowing a user of the personal data assistant to transmit data using the modem
of the communication device. The logic of the communication device periodically
activates the modem to check for communications on a server. Furthermore, the
10 communication device of the present invention includes a compact housing, thereby
allowing the communication device to have a compact configuration.